

AN ANGRY CROWD SMASHED THINGS

Furious Because the Manager of An Oriental Theatre Fooled Them.

700 MILES FOR HIS HEALTH

The Very Remarkable Record of a Farmer As a Pedestrian.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEWPORT NEWS, Va., September 25.—The "Oriental Theatre," one of the features of a carnival which has been in progress here for a week, was demolished just before midnight Saturday night by an indignant crowd of men and boys who had paid to see a dance which the manager failed to produce. The police had the tent under surveillance, all last week and the shows were of the tamest nature.

Saturday night the "speler" in front of the tent announced that a sensational act would be put on later in the evening. About 11 o'clock a crowd of about forty men of all ages and descriptions gathered in the tent to see the performance. The East Indian in charge of the place informed the crowd that 25 cents in advance would be required to see the show. The crowd refused to pay and the manager pulled down a falling pole and one of the dancers and injured her painfully.

Crowd Smashed Things.

Then one of the women dancers cavorted about the stage for a few minutes and the manager announced that "it was all over." This made the crowd mad. In two minutes the performers had been chased off the stage, the lights smashed and the tent pulled down. A falling pole struck one of the dancers and injured her painfully.

Several police officers arrived on the scene, scattering the crowd and restoring peace. No arrests were made.

James Marvin, a farmer from North-west Ohio, arrived here Saturday from Norfolk on his way to New York after completing an extraordinary pilgrimage from his home. The man says he walked over 700 miles for his health. He started from his home over two months ago and walked all the way to Lynchburg, averaging about twelve or fifteen miles per day, and spending his nights at farm houses or under any shelter that happened to be at hand when darkness overtook him. He reached Richmond one day last week, and there purchased a rowboat, in which he came down James River to Norfolk, reaching Norfolk yesterday morning. He sold his boat and came over here on the steamer Virginia. Last night he left for New York.

Just for Exercise.

According to Marvin's account, he is a comparatively well-to-do farmer, and made the trip simply because he is an enthusiast of the subject. He is a man of about forty, and has no family. When he reached here he wore a lightweight black suit, half-hunting boots and carried a small telescope.

The mammoth French liner La Savole, which has been at the local ship-yard for several weeks undergoing repairs, will sail for New York tomorrow. La Savole broke her port propeller shaft recently while trying to lower the record between Cherbourg and New York.

The new home of Newport News Aerle, No. 55, P. O. Bagles, will be formally opened to-morrow. There will be a parade and a baseball game in the afternoon. At night there will be a Japanese lantern parade, followed by a social session and speech-making at the home.

WED IN WASHINGTON.

Miss Black, of Stuart's Draft, Marries Mr. Baillie, of Texas.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WASHINGTON, D. C., September 25.—A very pretty wedding took place Saturday, September 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fisher, Washington, D. C. The contracting parties being Miss Virginia M. Black, of Stuart's Draft, Va., and Mr. William H. Baillie, of Houston, Tex., and formally of Virginia.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. James H. W. Black, of Episcopal Church. In the company of a few invited friends, comprising Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fisher, Miss Jett and Miss Matthews. The bride, clothed in a gown of white lace over taffeta, was accompanied by her sister, Miss Lena Black, who wore a white broadcloth suit. Mr. Carl W. Black acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Baillie expect to spend part of the winter in Washington before returning to Texas.

A TOURNAMENT.

Many Knights and Fair Ladies at Chase City.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHASE CITY, Va., September 25.—A tournament was held at Chase City last Friday, the 23d, which was a very brilliant affair. A large crowd from all the adjoining counties attended. Twelve knights, as follows, rode: Knight of Charlottetown, A. H. Hunter, of Kaysville, crowned Miss Mary L. Womack, of Kaysville, queen; Knight of Kilmartin, Walter Good, crowned Miss Sarah Good, of Chase City, first maid of honor; Knight of "The Old Apple Tree," C. C. Carozza, of Blackstone, crowned Miss Letitia Staples, of Mecklenburg, second maid; Knight of Kaysville, H. J. Morton, crowned Miss Lucy Watkins, third maid of honor.

The other knights who rode were as follows: Knight of Mecklenburg, H. B. Hartman; Knight of Free State, Wirt Wallace; Knight of Chase City, Mr. Zinn; Knight of Richmond, C. P. Fitzgerald;

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NEWS OF AMELIA.

Poisoning Suspects Admitted to Bail—Other Items.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) AMELIA COURTHOUSE, Va., Sept. 24.—Bill in the sum of \$500.00 each has been secured in the case of Caroline Lipscomb and Belle Harris, charged with the poisoning of Henry Lipscomb, a colored well-digger, whose sudden death near Jetersville, a few weeks ago, was reported. A colored man named Asa Wells was also suspected as being accessory to the crime, but could not be taken into custody. However, Constable W. D. Miller has gone to Washington to arrest him. Since the death of his brother, Mr. R. C. Griggs, Mr. Willis Griggs is undecided whether he will continue the Amelia Hotel here. This is a fine hotel stand and a large number of people from Richmond summer here. We have five daily trains each way.

The clerk's office is kept very busy regarding deeds, mostly timber transactions. Very large quantities of timber are marketed from here. More saw-mills than this county ever dreamed of are busy cutting lumber in every direction, and still they come. A new one is at the depot.

Mr. Jno. J. Allen is rapidly shipping out his year's work in tobacco. He has one of the finest stemmies in the State and has bought and handled over a million and a half pounds of tobacco this season.

INTERSTATE FAIR ASSOCIATION, FOURTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF HORSE SHOW, LYNCHBURG, VA., OCTOBER 30 TO 6TH.

For the above occasion the Chesapeake and Ohio will sell tickets from Richmond to Lynchburg and return at rate of \$4.25, including one admission. Tickets on sale October 23, 24, 25, and 26th, final limit October 27th.

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BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR INSTITUTE

Apparently One of the Most Prosperous Sessions is Beginning at Blacksburg.

A SURVEY OF VIRGINIA

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BLACKSBURG, Va., September 25.—The Virginia Polytechnic Institute has just entered upon what promises to be the most prosperous session in its remarkable history. The barracks are crowded and a great many old students have not yet returned. At the administration building the matriculating force is very busy, and in spite of the rapid process of registering the men they are lined up like a voting procession at an overcrowded precinct awaiting their turn. Dr. McBryde has been suffering from ill health for several days, but with his characteristic fortitude is attending to business. With the assistance of the deans of the work has been shaped for the session, and by Monday morning classes will have begun in earnest.

The new science hall, which has been rapidly erected on the site of its ill-fated predecessor, is not yet fully completed, and for a time a few classes will be doubled up into the other academic buildings.

The new agricultural hall has reached two stories of the growth, and in spite of its unfinished condition is already assuming a handsome appearance. When completed the agricultural hall will accommodate the departments of agriculture, horticulture and the creamery; also the executive offices of the flourishing experimental work of the State. Dean Soule is enthusiastic over the future, and hopes to be able soon to meet the ever increasing demands made upon him by the farmers of the Commonwealth.

Geological Survey.

Dr. Watson, of the chair of geology, has been working a large force of men during the summer on his new work connected with a thorough geological survey of the State, and with the assistance of colleagues, hopes to be ready to furnish information concerning the mineral conditions of the State at a very early period.

The prospects of the foot-ball record this fall are very bright. Much new foot-ball material has arrived, and the squads are at vigorous practice, with the hope of giving the teams of West Point and Annapolis hard games. The West Point game will be the first of the season, and has even played with a Southern team, and it is very strongly desired that a good showing be made against such formidable opponents. Hunter Carpenter, of national reputation, is on the grounds, and by his presence, example and skill will doubtless inspire the men to a spirit of determination never before shown by the home team.

Of last years team Stiles, Hynes, Wilson, Lewis, Nutter, Strickland, Harris have returned, and with the assistance of newly seasoned, and will doubtless add new laurels to their already brilliant careers.

The matrimonial fever, which struck the institute last summer, played havoc among the bachelors and also in the homes of several fathers with charming daughters.

Among the institute faculty who joined the benedictines are Colonel J. S. A. Johnson, Marshall Melton Catbrell, Dr. Mead Ferguson, Dr. J. E. Williams, Prof. James Gibney, Prof. Louis O'Roughnessy, Prof. Bolton McBryde, Mr. J. L. Phillips and Dr. W. F. Henderson.

GLEN ALLEN ITEMS

Miss Ivelle Chisholm, a sister of Mrs. John H. Boschen, of Glen Allen, Va., has left for her home in Taylorsville, Va., after a very pleasant stay with friends at Glen Allen, Va.

Master Clifford Trevett, of Glen Allen, has gone to Fork Union to attend the coming session at Fork Union Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boschen, of Glen Allen, visited friends and relatives at Taylorsville, Va., this week.

Mrs. Linda Boschen is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Norris, at Glen Allen, Va.

Little Miss Matthe Smith, who received a severe cut from a piece of broken jug, is again able to be at school after several weeks.

Mrs. Waldrop, of North Run, was a visitor of her daughter, Mrs. S. B. Trevett, of Glen Allen, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Norris were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Norris, of Glen Allen, Va.

Mrs. John H. Boschen visited Mrs. A. F. Smith, of Glen Allen, Va.

TYPHOID CLAIMS GORDON WINSTON

Had Lived for Past Two Years at Settling Basin Camp.

CAUSE OF FEVER A MYSTERY

Committee From City Council, It is Said, Will Investigate and Report.

Mr. Edward Gordon Winston, a member of the firm of Winston & Co., contractors, who were engaged in building the settling basin, died on yesterday morning at 4 o'clock at the Memorial Hospital of typhoid fever.

Mr. Winston was born at Malvern Hill, in Louisa county, and was twenty-eight years of age when he died.

His father, Colonel W. A. Winston, died last August a year ago. His mother is living, as also are his three brothers, James O., Thomas S. and William H. Winston, all members of the firm and his sisters—Mrs. E. Lindsay Gordon, Mrs. P. W. Sims, of Louisa Courthouse; Mrs. Pendleton, of Wytheville; Mrs. Thomas Kennerly, of Newport News, and Miss Helen Winston, of Louisa.

The body was taken to Louisa county on yesterday on the 2 o'clock train over the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, and the interment will take place in the family burying ground at "Malvern Hill" to-day.

Living at Settling Basin.

For two years, he has had active charge of the work at the settling basin now being constructed near the five-mile locks.

About two weeks ago he complained of ill health, but it was thought that he was suffering from malaria. Finally he was taken to the Memorial Hospital, suffering from a malignant case of typhoid fever, from which he died on yesterday.

Last year a number of cases of typhoid broke out at the settling basin camp, and an investigation followed, which discovered that a spring near the camp was horribly foul.

The evil was remedied and until Mr. Winston was stricken, there had been no case of typhoid in the camp for a year. There is no case there at this time.

An investigation on yesterday disclosed the fact that Mr. Winston had not used water from the spring that had before occasioned the fever.

Just across the way, seventy-five yards from the house he occupied, and in a wood, was a spring that is not on the same water shed as the camp, and from this spring Mr. Winston took the water which he used.

Dr. Oppenheimer Talks.

Dr. Oppenheimer, president of the Board of Health, was seen last night and asked if he could account for the cause of Mr. Winston's illness.

He replied that he could not, and, continuing, said that the spring from which water was gotten for Mr. Winston's house should have been free from any pollution from the camp, as it was in a wood and was not upon the same water shed as the camp. He further stated that there are a great number of cases of typhoid fever in the suburbs, outside the city limits.

In the city, he said, there are now thirty-three cases of typhoid fever, and ten cases of diphtheria.

There have been no deaths from diphtheria during the month, and but three deaths from typhoid fever.

It is rumored that the City Council will investigate the cause of Mr. Winston's death.

Mr. E. G. Winston insured his life last March with the Maryland Life Insurance Company for \$10,000. He paid but one premium. The company announces it will pay the claim to-day.

FARMERS MEET.

Interesting Gathering in Behalf of Agriculturists.

The following interesting announcement is being sent out, calling the farmers in adjoining counties to meet at Cumberland Courthouse next Friday in the interest of agriculture:

"There will be a district convention held at Cumberland Courthouse, September 29th, and delegates from all the local unions of the American Society of Equity are requested to attend from the counties of Buckingham, Cumberland, Powhatan and Gloucester. We invite all farmers and all who are interested in the welfare of agriculture to come. Object of the convention to discuss plans of conducting our business and to instruct the delegates that are to be sent to the national convention.

The National Convention of Tobacco Growers that is to be held at Owensboro, Ky., and to the national annual convention of the Society of Equity at Indianapolis, Ind. Hon. H. D. Flood and others will speak in the interest of the organization.

"Respectfully submitted," (Signed) J. M. VAUGHAN, District Organizer.

MEETING POSTPONED.

Agricultural Commissioners Meet Here On November 20th.

Commissioner of Agriculture Geo. W. Kolner, who is president of the Association of Southern Commissioners, announces that the meeting of that body, which was to have been held in this city on October 10th, has been postponed until November 20th, on account of the yellow fever situation in the South.

Some of the most prominent men in the United States who are officially connected with agriculture, will be present at the meeting. Included in this class is Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson, who will make one of the principal speeches.

Mr. Kolner was elected president of the association at the last annual convention, which was held at Baton Rouge, La., in the autumn of 1904.

At the end of the proceedings here officers for the ensuing year will be elected, and it is not unlikely that Mr. Kolner will succeed himself.

Will Attend Medical College.

Mr. Edward S. Cowles, State manager for Silver, Burdette & Co., has returned to the city, where he will attend the Medical College of Virginia.

Won Golden Bowl.

(By Associated Press.) PARIS, Sept. 25.—Vandaeur, the Belgian, won the Golden Bowl in the play-off race of twenty-four hours, which ended here to-day, covering 574 miles, 23 yards. Nat Butler, the American, was third, covering 532 miles, 5 yards.

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A RALEIGH DISPENSARY DECISION IS POSTPONED

Judge Justice, of the Superior Court, Was Too Ill to Open Court.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 25.—The illness of Judge M. H. Justice prevented the opening of the Wake County Superior Court this morning, the judge notifying the authorities that he hopes to be able to come to-morrow or at least some time later in the week. He was to have heard the application in chancery to-day for the mandamus compelling the aldermen of Raleigh to call an election on the question of "dispensary" or "open saloons." Now this will have to be deferred until later.

The most notable cases that are set for trial at this term of the court are the four attendants at the State Hospital, for the insane charged with causing the death of Thos. Nall, the patient whose death created such a sensation some weeks ago, and ex-Policeman I. W. Rogers, charged with secret assault with intent to kill John Dockery.

It is G. Howell has filed his complaint in the civil suit he has instituted against ex-United States District Attorney C. M. Bernard, charging the ruin of his daughter. The amount of damages demanded is \$20,000.

Governor Glenn returned yesterday from his New England trip and spent to-day hard at work at his desk gathering together the threads of State affairs that have accumulated during his absence. He devoted some time to reading the evidence and the report of the directors on the investigation into the circumstances of the death of Thos. Nall, the patient who is alleged to have died from the effects of harsh treatment at the hands of attendants at the State Hospital for the Insane.

Washington Affairs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WASHINGTON, D. C., September 25.—Postmasters appointed: Virginia—Dongola, Louisa county, Linn L. Brooks, vice Rita E. Lloyd, resigned; Mendocino county, Calif., George H. Devore, vice Henry H. White, resigned; Tottenville, Charles City county, Albert L. Smith, vice Irene N. Waring, resigned.

North Carolina—Ransomville, Beaufort county, George W. Harrington, vice McCoy Reesges, resigned.

Rural carriers appointed for North Carolina routes: Morganton, route 5, Jeremiah A. Smith, carrier; T. B. Smith, substitute; route 6, Charles Shuping, carrier; Julian Mull, substitute; Richfield, route 1, Ernest Ritchie, carrier; Brower Ritchie, substitute.

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